



National Weather Service

Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena



October 1997

Location	Date	Time Local/ Standard	Path Length (Miles)	Path Width (Yards)	Number of Persons Killed	Number of Persons Injured	Estimated Damage Property	Estimated Damage Crops	Character of Storm
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CONNECTICUT, Northeast

NONE REPORTED.

MASSACHUSETTS, Central and East

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Barnstable - Dukes - Nantucket

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Strong Winds

The center of an intense coastal storm passed about 200 miles southeast of Nantucket. Gusty northeast winds to 25 to 40 mph occurred over outer Cape Cod, Martha's Vineyard, and Nantucket. The peak gust reported was 39 mph on Nantucket Island. Very minor coastal flooding occurred during astronomically high tides with a maximum surge of about 1.25 feet. Storm force winds likely occurred within the coastal waters, beyond 20 miles east of Nantucket. Buoy #44004 reported wind gusts to 60 knots, but fortunately there were no problems reported by marine interests.

NEW HAMPSHIRE, Southern

NONE REPORTED.

RHODE ISLAND

NONE REPORTED.